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A personal reflection: Nursing in times of disaster

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Abstract:

Nurses have the responsibility to provide and promote health with our patients. This can be difficult during the best of times and even harder in times of disaster. This personal reflection discusses one nurse and her team's efforts to assist in the wake of Hurricane Ike.

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Resource Description

Communication: M

resource focus on research or methods on how to communicate or frame issues on climate change; surveys of attitudes, knowledge, beliefs about climate change

A focus of content

Communication Audience: M

audience to whom the resource is directed

Health Professional

Exposure: M

weather or climate related pathway by which climate change affects health

Extreme Weather Event

Extreme Weather Event: Hurricanes/Cyclones

Geographic Feature: M

resource focuses on specific type of geography

None or Unspecified

Geographic Location:

resource focuses on specific location

United States

Health Impact: M

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specification of health effect or disease related to climate change exposure

General Health Impact

Medical Community Engagement: ■

resource focus on how the medical community discusses or acts to address health impacts of climate change

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Mitigation/Adaptation: **☑**

mitigation or adaptation strategy is a focus of resource

Adaptation

Resource Type: **№**

format or standard characteristic of resource

Policy/Opinion

Timescale: **™**

time period studied

Time Scale Unspecified